Quarter 3 Extra Credit Paper

Due at the beginning of class Monday, April 3rd

Write a 2-3 page paper – plus works cited page - (typed, 12pt font, double spaced, MLA format) on the history of the 54th Massachusetts regiment and its importance. Discuss the details and significance of its formation, its battles – most notably the assault on Fort Wagner, its fight for equal pay, and the impact it had on African-Americans during the war. Must use at least 3 sources (can include *Glory*) and a works cited.

Depending on the quality of the paper, you may earn additional points on your 3rd quarter grade. You may earn:

Current grade of A – up to 2 points

Current grade of B – up to 3 points

Current grade of C – up to 4 points

Current grade of D or lower – up to 5 points